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ROOSEVELT RE-ELECTED BY LANDSLIDE

New Deal Endorsed By Sweeping Majority In Every Section Of Nation

Landon Gets Small Electoral Vote; Congratulates President Early Wednesday A. M.

Elba news bulletins broadcast at about noon Wednesday stated that on the basis of returns up to that hour, over two-thirds of State's vote went to men who gave majorities to Governor Landon. These states gave him a sweeping victory. The bulletins also stated that President Roosevelt was leading Landon by about 26,000 votes in Kansas, the returns tabulated to that hour.

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According to radio and other news sources, the total number of votes cast in the election was 250,000.

In 1932, the State gave Roosevelt 207,000 votes to 34,675 for Hoover. This is the largest lead in any other state in the nation. However, states other than Kansas were placed in the contest, and it will take a complete tabulation to settle the matter definitely.

Radio news bulletins in the early morning of Wednesday morning placed Verner Landon's

home state of Ala. as the Democratic party, by a landslide victory.

At the same time, based on incomplete returns, President Roosevelt's supporters returned more than 500 electoral votes.

News agency calculated that if the Roosevelt lead was maintained in the remaining states, the President would receive 519 electoral votes and Governor Landon would get only 12, for the party candidates against 111 for the

total of 3180.

MRS. BECKIE J. HALL PASSES AFTER VERY SHORT ILLNESS

Mrs. Beekie Jane Hall, highly esteemed member of the Elba community, passed away in her family home, October 15th, after a family illness of four days following a stroke of paralysis.

The following children survive: Beekie, James, Mrs. Joe Hall; Mrs. Little Cooper, Mrs. Little Beck and Mrs. Leney Cooper. She also leaves three brothers and two sisters.

NOAH J. L. MEEK, PROMINENT BASIN FARMER, DIED THURSDAY

NEW BROCKTON, Oct. 29.—Noah J. L. Meek, 76, long-time prominent farmer of the Basin, passed away at his home on the Elba-Kinston highway last evening, following an illness extending over a period of ten months.

He was born in the community in which he died. He was 60 years of age.

He was a splendid citizen and a good neighbor, well known and highly esteemed by all who knew him.

The funeral service will be held at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, with Rev. W. M. Bush officiating, and burial in New Brockton cemetery.

FIRST HOT SALE OF SEASON HERE, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6

There will be a cooperative hot sale in Elba Friday. All hot items must be on the ground in the sale.

We have a brand new set-up in the cemetery. Active pallbearers were C. E. Meek, Jr., F. W. Meek, J. C. Martin, W. C. Martin, C. C. Reiter, George Harrison, Bonneau-Jeter.

Mr. and Mrs. Meek had charge of funeral arrangements.

HUGH D. SEXTON, County Agent

GROWS LARGE POTATOES

Mr. L. E. Hornsby, who lives on Elba Road, left Monday for the Chipley, Fla., Saturday, to help his sweet potato crop this year. One of the yams weighed nine pounds, and another eight pounds, and the last just 5.2.

All of Mr. Hornsby's potatoes did not weigh as much as these, or come up to the same size, having harvested over 80 or 85 bushels from a small patch. The nine pounder he brought in is the largest we have seen this year.

MOSAIS, L. P. Mullins, James English, J. M. Rowe and Charles Rowan made a business trip to Birmingham Monday.

R. E. McDowell, who has been in Elba for the past two weeks, and his wife, Mrs. R. E. McDowell, and their two sons, C. E. and C. R. McDowell, have been here to help with the harvest. The two sons are now in the construction business in Elba.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Banes, Misses Metta and Thelma Banks spent Sunday in Opp with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Donaldson, of Opelika, were week-end guests of their daughters, Misses Myrtle and Mary Annie Donaldson.

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Facts About Alcohol

- No worse calamity can befall a nation than to have wicked, selfish, greedy rulers.
- Strong drink is a refuge to those who ignore responsibility and seek to stifle conscience.
- Alcohol dulls the reason and blunts the power of discrimination.
- The ancients knew the stupefying effect of alcohol and used it as an anesthetic for the sick and the dying.
- Alcohol causes the poor to forget his poverty and the miserable his misery, but to forget is not to remove.
- Intemperance belongs with things contrary to the reason of man and the Spirit of God.
- All intoxicants are poisons, not foods.
- Alcohol is a narcotic, depressant poison.
- Neither brain nor muscle is made more efficient by alcohol.
- All alcoholic drinks dull the sense of moral responsibility.

Elba Temperance League.

Mrs. Collier Entertains Kindergarten Class.

Mrs. Miford Collier was hostess to members of her bridge club Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Collier.

The Halloween motif was effectively carried out in the decorations, yellow flowers being arranged in the windows, candle rooms. Late in the afternoon a delicious salad course with coffee and dessert was served, assisted by Mrs. George Collier.

Halloween motif taken the following names: Mrs. M. J. D. Branson, Mrs. D. N. Bottoms, William Branson, Mrs. Ward, Charlie Phillips, Misses Kaymen Campbell and Margaret Stephens.

The Misses Club will be entertained for the November meeting on Thursday, November 5, in the home of Mrs. J. O. Engle, with Mrs. S. B. Boyd joint hostess. The meeting will be opened to order at 3 p.m. when an interesting program will be presented.

Mrs. L. Hartley and daughter and Miss Madge Page of New Orleans will be spending several days with Mrs. and Mrs. James English and other relatives in Elba.

Yes, Pursang contains elements of the Olympic Cupid and from which quick and easy when this happens, the appetite improves. Nervousness disappears. Energy and strength usually return. You feel like a new person. Get Pursang from your druggist.

Mr. and Mrs. John Farris and little son of Montgomery visited relatives in Elba last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louise of Montgomery spent the weekend in Elba with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Farris.

AUBURN, Ala.—Five Alabama farmers and their wives will be named Master Farmers by the Alabama Extension Service and the annual meeting of the Alabama Farmers Federation here November 17.

Invitations are also being sent to the 20 farmers designated as Master Farmers in 1927 and 1929 and their wives, who will be with their wives, be present on the night of November 17, when the five new Master Farmers are named.

FOR the first time in history we Ford dealers from all parts of the United States and Canada are invited to Detroit for a gigantic sales meeting. We are going to see the new Ford V-8 for 1937.

I am all excited about this trip to Detroit and what we are going to see there. Come to our showroom Saturday, November 14th. We'll show you the new car and tell you all about it.

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Nelson Motor Co.
Elba, Alabama

SIXTH DISTRICT CONVENTION HELD IN SAMSON OCT. 28—

The following Elbans attended the convention of the Sixth District at the Samson at the Baptist Church on Wednesday, October 28th, with the Samson Elba Club as host:

J. F. Branson, Sixth District Director; Mrs. J. M. Row, president of the Elba Study Club; Mrs. L. L. Farris, Mrs. J. O. Engle, Mrs. Lamar Rader, Mrs. Curtis Seay, Mrs. Mrs. Zache Rose, Mrs. R. S. Boyd, Mrs. Lillian Ringsdorf, Mrs. J. M. Garrett, Mrs. E. C. Howell.

Mrs. Branson presided over the meeting and after the opening exercises introduced the following Study Club officers who were the principal speakers of the day:

Mrs. G. W. Adair, Alabama, president; Mrs. U. H. Morris, state chairman of finance; Mrs. Grace Arey, Wintumpa, chairman of legislation; Mrs. J. P. Engle, Abbie, chairman of the American Home; Mrs. Mabel Gilbert, Talladega, from the School of the Blind; Mrs. Anna Nixon, Birmingham, president of the women of the special work being done by Mrs. Gillette, the Sixth District voted to give a new machine needed in her work.

The program for the day was as follows:

9:30—Registration.

9:30—Meeting called to order.

Mrs. John Branson presided.

Invocatory—Rev. Roy B. Mullins, Samson First Methodist Church.

Prayer—Rev. W. M. Polk, Birmingham.

Report of District Director.

Report of District Secretary.

Report of the Year—District Department Chairman.

County and County Chairmen.

Appointment of Committees.

Report of Homemakers.

Work With the Blind—Mrs. Mattie Gilbert.

Report of the Committee.

Report of the Elba Club.

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